

Swim

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2014
City of Hilliard
Municipal Pools

Opening Day

Both pools are open the weekends of May 17-18 and May 24-26, Memorial Day. The pools re-open at 3 p.m. for the season on Friday, May 30 (the last day of classes for Hilliard City Schools). See Page 2 for daily hours.

Grab a Towel & Your Pass

Get your pass and have fun all summer long! The fee for a pool membership is determined by the place of residence at the time the membership is purchased.

Annual memberships are issued for the current season.

Children 2 years of age and under as of June 1 are not required to have a membership. Children who turn 3 before June 1 of the current season must have a membership or pay the daily admission fee at the pool entrance.

A family is defined as two adults and children under the age of 21 who live in the same household. Both adults must provide verification of residency before memberships are active.

Last Hurrah

The East pool's last day of operation is scheduled for **Monday, Aug. 18**. Lifeguard staff availability will be reduced significantly beginning on Aug. 19, the first day of the 2014-15 school year for Hilliard City Schools. All remaining staff will be scheduled to work at the Hilliard Family Aquatic Center through **Labor Day**, Monday, Sept. 1, 2014, with restricted areas of swimming. Make a note: Beginning Aug. 19, HFAC will open at 4 p.m. during the week. Our number one priority is safety and having the required number of lifeguards necessary for us to operate. HFAC closes for the season on Labor Day.



The City of Hilliard has two outdoor swimming facilities that operate seasonally. A pool membership is valid at either pool. The Hilliard Family Aquatic Center – one of the largest outdoor municipal complexes in Ohio – features two 30-foot water slides, a 25-yard competition pool, an interactive leisure pool which includes a play structure and 450-gallon dumping bucket, a 560' lazy river with water attractions and the nationally recognized main pool (originally built in 1974) which has undergone a transformation of its own! The Hilliard East Pool includes a leisure pool with a 10' water slide and a separate wading pool.

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Hilliard Family Aquatic Center -- HFAC

3850 Veterans Memorial Drive,
Hilliard, OH 43026

Phone: (614) 876-4296

Facility Hours:

- Monday-Saturday: Noon-9 p.m. (Noon-8 p.m. beginning Aug. 4, 2014)
- Sunday: Noon-7 p.m.
- The competition pool closes daily at 6 p.m.

Hilliard East Municipal Pool

4450 Schirtzinger Road, Hilliard,
OH 43026

Phone: (614) 334-4024

Facility Hours:

- Sunday-Friday: noon-7 p.m.
- Saturday: Noon-9 p.m.

Hilliard Community Center & Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center

3800/3810 Veterans Memorial Drive, Hilliard, OH 43026

Phone: (614) 876-5200

Fax: (614) 876-5281

Community Center Hours:

- Monday: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Tuesday-Thursday: 8 a.m.-8 p.m.
- Friday: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Saturday: 9 a.m.-2 p.m.
- Sunday: Noon-6 p.m.

Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center
Phone: (614) 876-0747

- Monday-Friday: 8 a.m.-4 p.m., plus open until 7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays



G•E•T W•E•T

Fair Share Policy

The City of Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department is largely financed through city income tax dollars. Therefore, to be considered a "City Resident" (RES) in our registration process, you must live within the city limits of Hilliard. "School district resident" is for those who reside within the Hilliard City School District boundaries, but outside of the Hilliard city limits. "Non-resident" applies to all others. Even though you may have a Hilliard mailing address or live within the Hilliard City School District boundaries, you may not live inside of the Hilliard city limits. We ask for your understanding when registering.

Those registering are asked to provide current verification of residency. You receive a user name and password for online registration purposes once verification of residency has been established (must update annually).

Income Tax Verification

Those persons who pay a minimum of \$150 income tax to the City of Hilliard between January 1 and June 1 are eligible to receive the City resident rate for their pool membership. Rates for all programs, including swim lessons, are based on residency. Current year pay stubs are the only form of verification accepted for income tax verification. Pool memberships will remain inactive until verification of income tax payment is provided.

Refund/Transfer Policy

Refund requests and/or transfers must be submitted in writing and are granted only for one of the following circumstances (may reflect a \$5 processing fee). Pool memberships are non-transferable and non-refundable.

- When a swim lesson refund/transfer is requested at least seven (7) days in advance of the first class.
- When documentation is presented for an approved hardship situation (relocation outside a 25-mile radius of the Community Center or a medical restriction), documentation is required.
- No refunds after July 3.

Membership Cards -- Please Read Carefully!

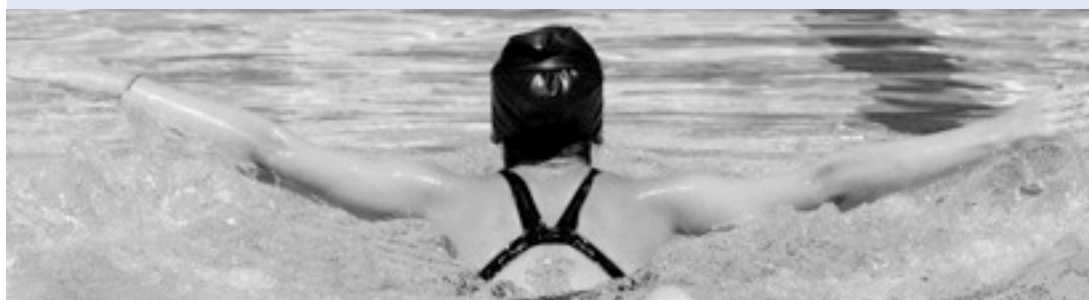
Membership cards are not re-issued each year. Keep your cards from season to season to avoid having to pay a \$5 replacement fee. All members must present their member card at the gate (East or HFAC) to gain entrance into the facility. If you have lost or forgotten your card, you may:

- Pay the daily admission.
- Purchase a \$5 replacement card at the Community Center (refer to hours on Page 2).

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause but ask for your understanding. The extra time that is required to "look up" household members has caused excessively long lines for other members. Please bring your card to avoid any inconvenience, frustration or extra fees. Photos are required for all household members.

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Water Slide Regulations

- Height restrictions are based on water depths at the base of each slide.
- All users must be 6” taller than the water the slide empties into.
 - East Pool slide: 48” or taller
 - HFAC blue slide: 42” or taller
 - HFAC red and yellow slides: 48” or taller
 - Parents are not permitted to catch riders at the bottom of the slide or reach into the area to provide assistance.
 - Riders should be in good health and able to exit the landing area unassisted.
 - No floatation devices, glasses or goggles are permitted on the water slides. Lifeguards may ask children who are not able to swim independently not to use the slides, regardless of height.

Pool Parties & Rental Information

Both pools are available for private use when the pools are closed (typically after hours) on weekends. Please contact Alex Drake at (614)334-2585 for additional information.

Inclement Weather Policy

- The City of Hilliard reserves the right to close one or both pools in the event of inclement or cool weather.
- If thunder can be heard, the presence of lightening is actual. All guests are asked to clear the pool area at the first sound of thunder or sighting of lightning and the pool remains clear until 30 minutes after the last sounding of thunder or sighting of lightning, and the sky is no longer dark or threatening. All weather-related decisions are made at the discretion of the pool management.
- We cannot predict the weather. Guests paying the daily admission (or dropping off children) should take special note of the weather conditions before entering the facility.
- Rain checks are only issued in the event the facility closes for the day.

Heath & Wellness

Providing all of our customers with sanitary water is of utmost importance, and we all have a responsibility to do our part to maintain good water quality:

- Swim diapers are required for all children who are not toilet trained and can be purchased from the front office at both pools.
- For the protection of all of our bathers, please do not bring sick children to the pool until they are symptom-free for at least 24 hours.
- Please change diapers in the restrooms, not poolside.
- Bathers should take a shower before entering the water.
- Please notify the pool managers or a lifeguard immediately if your child has an accident in the water or on the pool deck, and do not try to clean it up yourself. If you have any questions or concerns, contact Alex Drake (614-334-2585) or Heather Ernst (614-334-2579). For additional information, please visit www.cdc.gov/healthyswimming.



Military Discount: 10% off!

Special discount for active duty military personnel and their immediate family. Identification must be provided to receive discount. Discount applies to season memberships only.

Administrative & Supervisory Staff

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Guest Expectations:

- Children 9 years of age and younger must be accompanied by a responsible person at least 12 years of age.
- Parents are responsible for the supervision of their children. Supervise your swimmers at all times and know where they are while inside the facility. Understand that lifeguards are on duty to enforce the rules and to respond to emergencies -- not to babysit children.
- Rest periods are called 15 minutes before each hour. Certain pools may require "clearing the pool" for rest period earlier than 15 minutes before each hour to allow for an adequate rest period/break for swimmers (the lazy river and slides at HFAC).
- During rest periods, adults are permitted to swim with children 2 years of age and younger, as long as the child is within an arm's reach (except for in the leisure pool at HFAC, which is closed).
- No glass or alcohol is permitted at either pool. Coolers brought into either facility are subject to inspection.
- Inflatable toys or inflatable flotation devices are prohibited unless item is approved by the manager on duty (based on bather load).

Group Policy for Daycares & Daycamps

Daycares and daycamps bringing groups of children into the facility are required to adhere to and sign a group policy concerning the ratio of adult staff to children and supervision expectations while inside the facilities. For additional information, contact Alex Drake (334-2585) or Megan Goudy (334-2589).

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1 Purchase or Renew Online

Those who are simply renewing their pool membership from 2013 with no household changes or additions may renew online at hilliardohio.gov.

Those who wish to purchase a pool membership online must first register their household at hilliardohio.gov or visit the Hilliard Community Center in person. All online household applications are reviewed by a staff person within 72 hours. Residency is verified through the Franklin County Auditor's website through property records. After verification of residency has been approved, you are notified by email that your household is active. You may then log in using your username and password to purchase a pool membership. Those who reside in a home where the title is registered to someone other than an individual listed on the membership application are asked to provide verification of residency.

Pool memberships are available beginning Jan. 2, 2014

2 Register by Mail

Send completed membership form and payment in the form of a check (with current address) payable to "City of Hilliard" to Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department, 3800 Veterans Memorial Drive, Hilliard, Ohio 43026. To receive the discounted rate, payment must be postmarked by March 18, 2014. Memberships are processed as soon as possible after they are received (cards are mailed to new members).

3 Register in Person

Visit the Hilliard Community Center during regular business hours.

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Swim & Dive Team

hilliardmarlins.org



Online registration begins at 9 a.m.,
Feb. 1, 2014 for returning families
and April 15, 2014 for new families

**Parent meeting at 6 p.m., Friday, April 11, 2014
@ the Community Center**

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1 Go Online

Verification of residency (check, current utility bill, etc.) must be completed prior to registering for swim lessons.

If you have purchased a 2014 pool membership, you do not need to re-verify your address to register for swim lessons. Your membership automatically updates your household for one year.

Once you have established your household and provided verification of residency, you can use your username and password to register online.

1. Go to hilliardohio.gov
2. Click on Play
3. Click on "Online Registration"
4. Sign in

Once you have signed in, you can search classes by clicking on "Search" and then clicking on "Activity."

2 Register in Person

Visit the Hilliard Community Center during regular business hours.



Program Information:

- The program is goal-driven with an emphasis on swimming as a lifetime sport for health and fitness. Participants move through the levels at their own rate as they acquire the objective goals. Some skills take longer to master than others, and the program is designed to be self-paced. Body size and muscle control can play a huge factor in how quickly certain skills are mastered.
- Children enrolled in swim lessons must be 3 years old by June 1 of the current year and fully potty trained. It is important that participants meet both of these requirements and be able to participate in group lessons. This will ensure a more positive first-time swim lesson experience for young enrollees.
- Due to the fact that children advance through the levels daily, the swim instructors change as the needs of the program change. Please view these changes as an opportunity because children respond differently to different coaches, and a new instructor may have a new idea to motivate your child to accomplish their goals.
- Please make a note of your child's class time and date when you register. Reminder cards are not mailed!

2014 Swim Lessons

Lessons are \$35 for City residents/\$45 for School District residents and non-residents. All levels are offered during every session, except for Session 8, which is Adaptive Aquatics only.

Session	Date	East Pool	HFAC
1	June 9-12	10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.	
2	June 16-19	10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.	10 a.m., 11 a.m.
3	June 23-26	10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.	9 a.m.
4	July 7-10	10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.	
5	July 14-17	10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.	10 a.m., 11 a.m.
6	July 21-24	10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.	9 a.m.
7	July 28-31	10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.	10 a.m., 11 a.m.
8	Aug 4-7	Adaptive Aquatics; 11 a.m. @ East Pool	

Swim Lesson Rain Make-Up Policy

Swim lessons are held when the combined water and air temperature is 70 degrees and higher (pool water is heated). In the event of inclement weather, please call the pool one hour before your scheduled swim lesson time. Make-up classes, if the class is canceled, are scheduled for only one canceled class per session. Make-ups are held on the Friday or Sunday of your scheduled week of swim lessons at the same class time, should the need arise.

East Pool: (614) 334-4024
HFAC: (614) 876-4296

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Swim lessons are offered at HFAC and the Hilliard East Pool. Class sessions are Monday-Thursday for 55 minutes/day, one session per child until July 1. Participants may register for a second session after July 1, if there are still spots available. Register in person for additional sessions (no online registration for the second session).

Sea Weed Class

Water Exploration

This class is suitable for children who are beginner swimmers (ages 3 & up). Objectives include: safety skills, blowing bubbles, comfortably submerging head while exhaling under water 10 times in a row.

Sea Urchin Class

Floats & Kicks

This class is suitable for children who are comfortable submerging their head completely under water. Objectives include: safety skills, floating on front and back for 5 seconds without assistance and proper recovery, kicking on front and back in a streamlined position for 10 feet without assistance and proper recovery.

Sea Turtle Class

Stroke Readiness

This class is suitable for children who are comfortable in 3-4 feet of water and who can kick in a streamlined position on front and back for 10 feet without assistance. Objectives include: safety skills, rolling over from front to back and back to front, kicking on right and left sides for 10 feet, swim front crawl with arm strokes and kick for 20 feet, ready position from wall.

Sea Gull Class

Stroke Development

This class is suitable for children who are comfortable in 4-5 feet of water and who have a basic knowledge of front crawl. Objectives include: safety skills, front crawl with rhythmic breathing using a minimum of 6 breaths, backstroke for 35 feet, deep water bobbing, and treading water for 60 seconds.

Sea Horse Class

Stroke Refinement

This class is suitable for children who are comfortable in deep water and who have a basic knowledge of freestyle with rhythmic breathing and backstroke. Objectives include: safety skills, freestyle for 50 yards with rhythmic breathing, backstroke for 25 yards, breaststroke and butterfly kick for 25 feet.

Sea Dragon Class

Individual Medley

This class is suitable for children who are comfortable in deep water and who can complete 50 yards of freestyle, backstroke, butterfly and breaststroke kick. Objectives include: safety skills, 100 yards of freestyle with rhythmic breathing, backstroke for 50 yards, breaststroke for 25 yards, butterfly for 35 feet.

Sea Shark Class

Stroke Clinic

This class is suitable for children who would like to perfect all four strokes and learn flip turns and starts. The main emphasis is lap swimming and drills using arms and kicks. Sidestroke and elementary backstroke are taught. Objectives include: 150 yards freestyle, 25 yards sidestroke, 25 yards elementary backstroke, 50 yards breaststroke, 25 yards butterfly.

Adaptive Aquatics

Adaptive aquatics is a learn-to-swim program designed for children with special needs who are between the ages of 3-12. This program is designed for those who require more individual attention than what a group swim lesson can provide. The program may not follow the skills progression of mainstream swim lessons. Individuals may be asked to provide an in-water assistant if deemed necessary.

M•E•M•B•E•R•S•H•I•P

City of Hilliard Residents	Blue Splash Special Mail-in by March 18	Regular Season Rate
Primary Pool Member	\$85	\$95
Family of 2	\$120	\$145
Family of 3	\$155	\$180
Family of 4	\$165	\$195
Family of 5	\$180	\$210
Family members in excess of 5	\$10/each additional person	\$10/each additional person
Membership Add-On	\$60/add-on (limit 2/household)	\$85/add-on (limit 2/household)
Senior Citizen (65 and older)	\$25	\$30

Hilliard City School District Residents & Non-Residents	Blue Splash Special Mail-in by March 18	Regular Season Rate
Primary Pool Member	\$160	\$185
Family of 2	\$225	\$265
Family of 3	\$260	\$320
Family of 4	\$295	\$355
Family of 5	\$310	\$370
Family members in excess of 5	\$10/each additional person	\$25/each additional person
Membership Add-On	\$110/add-on (limit 2/household)	\$125/add-on (limit 2/household)
Senior Citizen (65 and older)	\$30	\$40

MARCO-POLO

Daily Admission Rates (Cash Only)

East Pool

Ages 3-9 \$6
10 & Up \$8

HFAC

Ages 3-9 \$8
10 & Up \$10

Senior Citizens

Both Pools \$3

Splash Days!

Sunday, May 25 @ HFAC

2-4 p.m. Swim Smart Party, Concert

Saturday, June 14 @ HFAC

2-4 p.m. Concert; 7 p.m. Duckie Derby; 9:15 p.m. Dive-In Movie

Saturday, July 26 @ East

3-7 p.m. Super Games Inflatables & Christmas in July
9 p.m. Dive-in Movie

Friday, Aug. 22 @ East

Dog Swim; \$5/dog
Lightweight (Under 40 lbs.): 4:30-5:15 p.m.
Heavyweight (Over 40 lbs.): 5:30-6:15 p.m.